

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

SCOTT SIBBETT

Application No.: 10/738,465

Filed: December 17, 2003

For: SIEVING MEDIA FROM PLANAR ARRAYS OF ANOSCALE GROOVES, METHOD  
OF MAKING AND METHOD OF USING THE SAME

Art Group: 1723

Examiner: Menon, Krishnan S.

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully Petitions the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to March 18, 2007, from the Final Office Action dated October 18, 2006. The petition filing fee of \$450.00 and a Notice of Appeal are attached. (If a check is not attached, you are hereby authorized to charge deposit account no. 02-2666.)

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP

Date: March 19, 2007

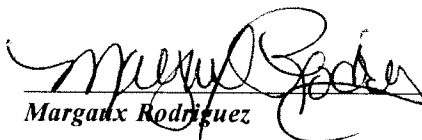


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